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O. P. Schumann, Editor and Proprietor.

Dr. Foley's Article Didn't Set Well

STORY OF GRAYLING CARNIVAL BELIEVED UNFAIR

Dr. E. L. Foley who, according to reliable information, seemed to constitute to himself the privilege to pass comments on Grayling's Winter Sports carnival as he claimed he saw it here on Sunday, January 26. Apparently his viewpoint was either prejudiced by a desire to hit someone or something or by a lack of understanding. The truth is he didn't take the time to verify some of his remarks as published in the Alpena News on the following day.

Of course the article brot on severe criticism by local papers, and didn't stop there but seems to have been resented by some of the leading citizens of Alpena as well. Letters written by local citizens to the publisher of the News in protest to the article were published in the News Friday, reading as follows:

Grayling Winter Sports Article Is Resented

To the Editor:
I am sorry that Dr. E. L. Foley had published in your paper Monday a rather lengthy article on Grayling Winter Sports. His figures were very bad through misinformation so I take it I have written the Doctor today and I would like you to publish this letter so that you may know where we stand on the subject, in the spirit of cooperation.

Kindly send me a few copies of Monday's issue for my files.

Sincerely yours,

Holger F. Peterson,
Grayling, Mich.
Jan. 28, 1936.

To the Editor:
Will you please grant us some space to reply to Dr. Foley's article regarding our Winter Sports program in your issue of Monday, the 27th.

It is very evident the Doctor bases his statements on a superficial knowledge, acquired in a couple hours visit here.

Our Winter Sports Program started some eleven or twelve years ago and while intended at first to provide entertainment for our local folks, its popularity soon gained so many adherents from points outside that it soon was not a question whether we wanted a winter sports program but how best to carry it on so that as many as possible would benefit from it.

No one not acquainted locally can know or appreciate the amount of time, money and effort that has been poured into this project by Grayling folks, and if proper allowance were made for all this, it would be safe to say that instead of \$30,000.00, we have much more than that invested in our Winter Sports Program. Naturally the Doctor has overlooked that all this is not in the form of tangible assets.

In all this time, our main motive has been to have outside folks become better acquainted with Northern Michigan and its possibilities as a year around playground.

It is true some of the local businessmen may have profited to some extent from the patronage of visitors, but the Winter Sports Association itself has never profited financially from the project.

The 25c admission and 5c per

ride the Doctor and others have paid has gone to pay operating expenses and for betterments.

The setup is not perfect and we want to be the first to admit that, but if plans now under way materialize, we shall have a bigger and better program to offer the public next year and succeeding years.

The Doctor need not worry about Southern Michigan towns providing their own Winter Sports Program. Natural geographical, topographical, and other conditions give Northern Michigan an advantage in this respect that we need only capitalize on.

The Snow Trains from Detroit are a fortunate adjunct to our program that we have been able to capitalize on due to our proximity to Detroit.

Of the several thousand folks from Detroit who have already visited us and the several thousand more we expect in February, we are certain very few go home dissatisfied and that they and more will be back again next year.

We've got something here in Northern Michigan, let's pull together and make something of it. We do in the summer, so why not in the winter?

Sincerely,
Grayling Winter Sports Association, Inc.

Emil Giegling,
Grayling, Mich.
Jan. 30, 1936.

Sentiment Not Shared By Other Alpena People.

Emmett Platt, district manager of the Tri-County Telephone Co. whose headquarters are in Alpena, was in Grayling Thursday and called at the Avalanche office and while here said that he regretted the affair and intimated that Dr. Foley's article would be given little credence in Alpena.

J. E. Richards, publisher of the News wrote the following:

The Alpena News,
Alpena, Michigan
January 31, 1936.

Mr. O. P. Schumann,
Grayling, Michigan.
Dear Mr. Schumann:

Emmett Platt told me that he talked with you yesterday about the regrettable Foley article which appeared in The Alpena News last Monday. I was sorry to learn that Dr. Foley had been confused with Dr. O'Donnell, president of our Winter Sports Club. Dr. O'Donnell was one of the first to approach me that evening with an expression of regret that it had been published. Many of our people feel the same way. As a matter of fact, I think that the article, through the resentment aroused in your behalf, has done Grayling much more good than harm. Fortunately also our circulation is negligible in points beyond the four counties where the unfavorable publicity might be harmful to Grayling. Will you please express to the people of Grayling my sincere regret?

I am sending you several copies of today's News in which appear letters from Holger F. Peterson and Emil Giegling.

With best wishes, I am
Sincerely,
J. E. Richards,
The Alpena News.

Telegram From Alpena Winter Sports President
Alpena, Jan. 31, 1936.
Grayling Winter Sports Club.
Roy Trudgen, President,
Grayling, Mich.

Article appearing in Alpena News Jan. 27 containing very

destructive criticism concerning handling Grayling Carnival had no authorization of Alpena Sports Club and was not written by any member of our organization. All Alpena people attending your carnival had a good time. The Alpena Winter Sports Club have been cooperating with Grayling to the fullest extent and intend to do so in the future.

We extend to all residents of Grayling a sincere invitation to attend our carnival now going on. Highlight of program will be Saturday night and Sunday. Please see that this wire gets the proper publicity.

Kindest regards,

Dr. F. J. O'Donnell,
President Winter Sports Club.

Detroiters Had Great Time Here Sunday

TWO TRAINS BRING IN HAPPY CROWD

Kirby's Snow trains of Detroit brot in one of the merriest crowds of the winter season, Sunday. Eleven hundred people got off the trains and soon were having the "time of their lives", as some remarked. Some came with skis and others with snow-shoes but when they saw the big toboggan slides, that was where they started for.

And these toboggan slides were like lightning—solid glassy ice, and how those toboggans did speed! Over 2,400 people, outside of members who didn't have to purchase tickets, took the trip down the slides that day and there wasn't a single accident.

The skating rink too was a kaleidoscope of flashing colors as the skaters gracefully glided over the smooth ice. The visitors seemed to be having the best time ever and leaving time came altogether too soon. There was almost no evidence of drinking among the visitors and a pleasant crowd could hardly be found anywhere.

Next Sunday, providing the weather moderates at all, there will be two trains from Detroit, arriving at 1:00 and 3:30 p. m.

Kiwanians Sponsor "Jazz Regiment"

SENSATIONAL MUSICAL COMEDY

Rehearsals are in full swing in preparation for the kiddies revue "The Jazz Regiment," which is to be presented at the high school auditorium Friday, February 14th.

The cast of the production is composed of some 40 youngsters who are pupils of the local branch of the Robinson Dance Studios.

Several months ago "Hollywood Bound," a kiddie revue made up of children from the Robinsons Traverse City Studio, was presented here and received the enthusiastic applause of a capacity audience. Since that time the youngsters of Grayling have been under the instruction of this school and promise to give a very delightful performance in bonafide musical comedy style.

Singing, dancing, captivating music and gorgeous costumes go to make up this presentation and it is expected that a capacity house will turn out to see "The Jazz Regiment."

SLIGHTED THE LITTLE TOTS

One of the staff of the Avalanche was quite abashed, when last week's edition was on the press, to find that in writing up the Queen's Ball, she had, ignorantly speaking, served the pudding without the sauce. The daring children who lead the queen and her court to the throne had been left out of the write-up.

How could one forget Bobbie Brady, carrying the satin pillow for the prie dieu of the lovely queen, as he toddled toward the throne? Following him came two little fairies, Betty Hewitt and Barbara Miller, each with a basket of flowers looking as sweet as miniature queens. One could just imagine what they will be like in—well, say, 1950, when winter sports will still be going big in this community, where winters are winters and where outdoor recreation is becoming more popular each year, not only in the summer but in the winter as well.

Mistakes will happen in the best of well regulated newspaper offices and this was just another one that got by unnoticed.

CHANGE NAMES OF ALEXANDER LAKES

Alexander lakes in Hartwick Pines State park, northeast of Grayling, will be re-named "Bright" and "Star" lakes, respectively, if approval is given by the state and national boards of geographic names.

The change is requested by Mrs. Karen B. Hartwick, who donated to the state the land now known as Hartwick Pines State Park.

"Sanctions" Applied at Home



Governor Appoints Charles E. Moore Judge Of Probate

Governor Fitzgerald Monday appointed Charles E. Moore, Grayling attorney, to succeed the late Judge George Sorenson. Official certificate of appointment was received Tuesday morning.

While Mr. Moore located in Grayling only last summer, by his capability as an attorney, his sense of fairness and justice in matters that have confronted him in his profession and the manner in which he has shown a fine community spirit, he was able to receive splendid endorsement in favor of this appointment.

Mr. Moore was originally from Cheboygan where he graduated from high school. After completing his school work he served several years in the U. S. Coast guard and was stationed at Mackinac Island. When the World war broke out he entered the naval service. At the close of the war he entered and graduated from the Detroit University of Law and began practice in Detroit where he continued for about eight years. This practice

You ex-service men who have not made out your application for the soldier's bonus can get busy now and communicate with Capt. John Erkes who will gladly assist you in any way.

The Legion and Corps as a whole are very pleased that one of its members, Comrade Charles Moore, has received the appointment of Judge of Probate to succeed the late George Sorenson. We feel that Charlie will make a very capable person in charge of the duties required of him in that responsible office.

YOUTH IN THE COMMUNITY

What is this community doing for its youth? This really is a serious question that applies to any broad-minded community. How many people realize that in December, 1935, that there were approximately five millions of young people between the ages of sixteen and twenty-four who are out of school and out of work. It is significant that the number unemployed from the age group sixteen to twenty-four, is greater than the number of those to be found in full-time high school and college work. These stranded youth are found in every rural area, village, town, and city of the country.

Isn't it time that some serious consideration should be shown for our own stranded youth in Grayling? Are we going to let these splendid young people travel their own paths in our midst and not give them a chance to use their talents in planning and carrying forward undertakings in our community under capable sponsorship?

Why not sponsor youth movements in our community through various local agencies or the community in general? What community wouldn't be proud of a fine youth organization that could assist in public functions? These youths have been taught fair play and cooperation during their school years and an organization with these factors would boost Grayling a long way. Let us give our youth a chance.

Russell Robertson.

The office of probate judge is better in the hands of an attorney, for many legal matters have to be determined in that court. Cases coming into probate occur in most instances because of circumstances relative to estates and but few who come into that court have any knowledge whatever as to its functions and know their own constitutional rights. When a judge of the court is familiar with the statutes that govern his court and who is able to correctly interpret the laws and give honest, impartial service and is thorough in his work, then he may give the public valuable and helpful administration. We believe Mr. Moore can and will give this kind of service.

All bills must be itemized with correct dates, etc.

GRAYLING WINTER SPORTS ASSN.

Judge Sorenson

Cold Wave, Snow Laid To Rest

WAS ONE OF LARGEST AT-TENDED FUNERALS

The funeral services for the late Judge George Sorenson were held at the Michelson Memorial church, after a brief service held at the home, on Sunday afternoon. The church was filled almost to capacity. Besides a large circle of relatives and townspeople, there were many outsiders present from other cities who came here to be present at the last rites of this fine citizen.

Rev. Edgar Flory, pastor of the church, paid a beautiful tribute to the deceased, relating instances of his life that portrayed a beautiful character, a splendid husband and father and his fondness for people and especially children. And with a fine sense of humor, and kindness for all mankind, he lead a life that was filled with the highest spirit of citizenship and Christianity.

He stood high in the business circles of his community and was generally loved by all who knew him.

Rev. Flory was assisted by Rev. Hans Juhl, pastor of the Danish Lutheran church. Mrs. Juhl and Mrs. Gotoo sang a duet, "In the Garden" and the church choir sang "Beautiful Land of Somewhere." Mrs. Cuppert presided at the organ.

The pallbearers were county officials with whom Judge Sorenson had served many years. They were as follow: Prosecuting Attorney Merle F. Neilson; Sheriff Frank Bennett; Clerk Axel Peterson, Treasurer William Ferguson, Register of Deeds Ronnow Hanson, and Deputy Sheriff Frank May.

Interment was in Maple Grove cemetery. Among those from out of the city present at the funeral were:

From Grand Rapids: Mrs. P. E. Johnson, P. E. Johnson Jr., Ray Haven, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnston and daughter; Mrs. Helen Schumaker, Mrs. Roswell Kelly, Mrs. Harry Nowicki and two daughters, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. A. Lincoln, Riney Paul and son Detroit; Mrs. E. Van-Sickle, Vera Van-Sickle, Mr. and Mrs. Houghton King, Houghton Brown; Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. George Pearson, Saginaw; Mr. Bradley, Midland; Judge Calkins of Gaylord.

OLD RESIDENT PASSED AWAY

Mrs. Inger Marie Nielsen, a well known resident of Grayling since 1893, passed away at her home Friday morning of heart trouble, after being in feeble health for some time. Mrs. Nielsen had a host of friends and many of these friendships had lingered on through the years since coming to Grayling. She was very kind and sympathetic and a good neighbor.

Mrs. Nielsen was born in Nas- trid, Denmark, Feb. 15, 1855. In her younger days she was a toy-maker and often was heard to tell of the unique ways in which toys were made. Following the death of her husband Carl Henry Nielsen, in Denmark, she came to Grayling joining her brother Wilhelm Nielsen. The latter's wife had passed away in 1900 and he was left with five small children to care for so he urged his sister to come and make her home with him, there were Wilhelm, Jr., Carl, Otto, Anna, now of Longview, Wash.; and Elna, of Seattle, Wash., all of whom

survive together with the brother the latter who is in very poor health at present.

The funeral was held Monday afternoon from the home of a nephew, Otto Nielsen, and later at Danish Lutheran church, Rev. Hans Juhl officiating.

CARD OF THANKS

We acknowledge with sincere appreciation the kind expressions of sympathy of our friends in our late bereavement. Also the choir and Rev. Hans Juhl for their kindness.

Wilhelm Nielsen, Sr. and Family.

APPRECIATION

We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their beautiful expressions of sympathy during our sorrow. Also the ministers and choirs for their services.

Mrs. Anine Sorenson, and Family.

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The Carnival is ended, but Grayling is still a busy city. There is no better place in which to meet your friends than at the Inn. You always are welcome.

Shoppenagons Inn
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SKIING IN MICHIGAN

Unless we misread the signs, Michigan vacation resorts will soon be carrying on an all-year industry. Winter, as well as spring, summer and fall, will see our playgrounds swarming with seekers after pleasure and health. Why? Winter sports, particularly skiing.

Fifteen years ago, to the average citizen of this region, "ski" was a misspelling of "sky."

Ten years ago skiing was known only as an exhibition or jumping from the roof or the sky to the bottom of the world by a few acrobatic and daredevil Norwegians.

Five years ago it was beginning to be recognized as a form of downhill skating which the less athletic also might indulge in if wealth and leisure permitted them to visit Canada, the Adirondacks, or the Alps.

Today it is accepted as a down-hill and cross-country sport which any person of moderate means, not a centenarian or a cripple, can enjoy on any snow-sprinkled terrain within an hour's drive of his own home.

The rolling hills around Detroit are marked with the tracks of many skiers, and snow trains for up-state, although promoted so quietly that their existence is almost a secret, are crowded to the vestibules and sold out three weeks in advance.

This "king of winter sports" is sweeping the country as golf did 15 years ago.

The Adirondacks and the Alps are far away. The majority of middle-westeners who wish to ski will necessarily ski in Michigan. Our territory, while not ideal for the sport, is good enough.

Michigan summer resorts which equip themselves also as winter resorts and offer suitable accommodations for skiers will presently be doing as profitable a business in January as they do in July.—Detroit News.

NEW LIQUOR REGULATIONS

(By T. E. Johnson)

The state liquor control commission is now making plans for the renewal of licenses on May 1. They announce that absolutely no grace will be permitted and that those who have not arranged their renewals by April 30, will not be permitted to open their doors on May 1.

In accordance with the announcements previously made, the applicants must have the approval of the local law enforcing agencies before the commission will consider their applications at all.

The present rules permit the commission to refuse to grant licenses to any persons whom they consider unsuitable in any way or for premises where they do not believe that the best enforcement may be obtained.

No place which is connected with living quarters will be considered. This means that if there is ready access to such quarters, the permit will be refused. If an outside entrance is used or if an outside stairway is in use the application will be considered.

Any place which derives its principal revenue from the sale of gasoline, oil or automobile accessories is also automatically barred under the new rules of the commission. Of course there are grocery stores which have a gasoline pump and which also sell beer, but these will be considered if the chief income is from the merchandiser other than auto supplies.

It may be that these rules will work some hardships but the members feel that they must draw the line somewhere and it seems easiest to do so by hewing closely to the mark thus set up.

There have been a good many daily newspaper stories about the fingerprinting which is to be required but this is merely an incidental means of identification. In many of the larger units it is hard to know whether the man in charge or possession is actually the licensee. The fingerprints will enable this fact to be easily determined.

The new method places the responsibility of the applicant directly on the local officers. In the past there has been some confusion and a deal of "buck-passing" on this particular point. The responsibility will now be definitely fixed.

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CAMP FIRE GIRLS

We had our 4th Humming Bird meeting recently at the Michelson Memorial church. This week we had a party. We played games and there were 12 members present. We all wrote letters to Billieann Clippert, as she is ill. There was no Camp Fire meeting last week.

Shirley Jean Nelson

Personals

Carl Johnson is spending a couple of weeks in Detroit and Grand Rapids on business.

One-fourth to $\frac{1}{4}$ off on all ladies slippers and oxfords, at Olson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gibbs Sr., of Harbor Springs, arrived Monday to visit at the home of their son, Harry Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Wells, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cardinal, made a business trip to Lewiston, Sunday.

Mr. George Burke is spending this week visiting relatives at Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McLeanahan, of Mt. Pleasant, were in Grayling over the week end visiting friends.

Mrs. Mollie Bosworth is at Midland where she is assisting Miss Lottie Sias in her art shop for a couple of weeks.

Miss Virginia Bingham of Detroit, a former Grayling resident, was among the Winter Sports visitors last Sunday.

Howard Scott, of Indian River, last week took home a new Ford Deluxe Touring Sedan, which he purchased from Burke's Garage.

Mr. James Bugby, Arthur May and Eva Swanson drove to Flint, Tuesday, to visit relatives and attend to some business matters.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gothro spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Lansing, guests of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bensinger.

Miss Elaine McDonnell has returned to Detroit and will enroll as a student at the Wayne University, taking a course in Home Economics.

Saturday, Mr. and Mrs. Axel Peterson and Herbert Parker accompanied Mrs. Parker to Coleman where she will care for her mother, who is very ill.

Guests, Sunday, at the home of Henry Jordan were Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Waselaski, of Saginaw, who came to visit Mrs. Julia Eustice at Mercy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Clark, of Midland, with a party of friends, occupied the Randolph cottage at the lake over the week end and enjoyed the Winter Sports park.

Miss Viva Hoesli, of Flint, spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hoesli. With her as her guest was Oscar Shnelker, of Flint.

Mr. Harold Lamm left Sunday, for Detroit, and is spending this week attending the Ford Service school. Mrs. Lamm joined him yesterday to spend the remainder of the week.

Mrs. Harold Buck is spending a couple of weeks in Detroit, having accompanied Mrs. Eggleston, of Houghton Heights, who is receiving medical care at Ford Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. David Montour enjoyed a visit, Sunday, from their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hanselman, of Detroit, who were snow train passengers.

20 to 25% off on all Rubbers and Artics and Felt Shoes, at Olsons.

Arthur Wendt had his guests over the week end Fred McCosh, Dudley Burke, and Gilbert Bachofen, all of Detroit, who came on the snow train. Mr. Bachofen is a nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rohde visited Mrs. Rohde's mother, Mrs. Frank Leline, who is very ill. During just a few days Mrs. Leline had two paralytic strokes and is in a very serious condition.

Miss Virginia Hoesli returned Monday to Flint after spending the past month visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Hoesli. William Blanchard, of Flint, drove up to accompany her there.

Little Goldie Beck was six years old Saturday, and a group of friends were entertained at her home that afternoon. Games were enjoyed after which a very delicious lunch was served. Many gifts were left for the little guest of honor.

Guests, Sunday, at the home of Mrs. R. S. Babbitt were Mrs. William Daugherty and daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Slack, of Buckley. They were accompanied by Mrs. Ada East who left Sunday to visit at Detroit.

Mrs. M. W. Richmond, of Higgins Lake, was hostess to her Pinochle club, Saturday evening. Prizes were won by Mrs. Linn Meade, of Roscommon, and Mrs. Irving Shelp. Mrs. Meade was a guest of the club. A delicious lunch was served.

Mr. and Mrs. George Willis (Marguerite Chamberlin) of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Hyde (Mildred Hunting) of Pontiac were among the snow train passengers last Sunday. They enjoyed visiting old friends and the thrills at the Winter Sports park.

Saturday evening, the Birth-day club met at the home of Axel Peterson and helped him celebrate his birthday anniversary. Sixteen guests were present and the evening was spent playing pinochle, after which a lovely lunch was served. Mr. Peterson's birthday was some time ago but his illness prevented a celebration on that occasion.

Robert Hanson left Tuesday morning for a few days in Detroit. Expected to be back to all House members at Ossineke.

James Hines, May and Eva Swanson have as their guests Monday, Allen Jackson and Don Farfield, of Terre Haute, Ind.

One-fourth to $\frac{1}{4}$ off on all Childrens Slippers, Oxford's and Twines shoes, at Olson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rasmussen had as their guests, Sunday, Mrs. Edward Creque Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Leis Bryant and son Bonnie, of Flint.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weish over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Meyer, son Buddy and daughter Betty Ann, of Bay City.

Rev. and Mrs. Edgar Flory were in Lansing, Tuesday and Wednesday, and the former attended a conference on Education and Social Christian action.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Trudgen were among the passengers when the snow trains left for Detroit Sunday afternoon. They spent several days there, returning home Wednesday afternoon.

HARRY HEMMINGSON POST ORGANIZED

On the institution of the Harry Hemmingson Post No. 1224, Veterans of Foreign Wars of U. S. A., at Roscommon recently, Comrade Commander Greenleaf of Saginaw and Comrade Commander R. H. Calkins of Gaylord were present and conducted the meeting.

The following officers have been elected and installed:

Commander—A. Wendt.
Sr. Vice Com.—P. Gardner.
Jr. Vice Com.—B. Smith.

Qmst.—J. Saars.

Adj.—B. McLeod.

Advocate—A. Smith.

Chaplain—Chaplain Connolly (Hon.).

Surgeon—C. Lynch.

O.D.C. Griswell.

Patriotic Inst.—Lieut. Wahl-

born (Hon.).

Historian—R. Wolf.

Trustees—

G. Evans (18 months).

H. Sims (12 months).

A. Carey (6 months).

Guard—O. Nelson.

Sentinel—F. Rimkot.

Bugler—R. Johnstone.

The next meeting will be on

Friday, Feb. 7 at Camp Eldorado, Roscommon. Anyone wishing to go may see Mr. Wendt at the local liquor store.

Athletic News.

The Frederic High School basketball team came through with two more victories during the past week. Wednesday afternoon, about 3 o'clock, the first team boys left in cars for Atlanta. The school bus followed at 5:30 with the second team and anyone who cared to see the games. There were 43 on the bus.

The second team boys lost by score of 20 to 6, but the first team helped to cover up their misfortune by winning with a score of 26 to 15. The team appreciates the support given them by the people who followed them to Atlanta.

Friday night Vanderbilt invaded Frederic with three teams. The first game played by the girls was ended with a high score in favor of Frederic girls. The score was 30 to 6. Louise Vollmer scoring 20 points was high for Frederic, and Miss Lewis was high for Vanderbilt with 4 points.

The Reserve boys team lost by a score of 9-10. It was a game full of thrills and went into an overtime period before the winner could be determined. The first team won another league game, coming out on the long end of a 27-17 score. Shirley Corsaut was high score for Frederic with a total of 14 points while Farand was high for Vanderbilt with 8 points.

We just have one more scheduled game in the league and that is Feb. 14 when Wolverine comes to Frederic. Keep it up Frederic, we're with you. The news has to be sent in too early to cover Monday and Tuesday night's games but we will have them in next week.

The Girls 4-H Club held their meeting Monday noon and planned a Valentine party. They are now planning patterns for their dress projects, to begin next Monday.

Mrs. Smith's room is now busy making valentines during drawing period.

Miss Helen Brooks spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hoover.

The basketball girls are being entertained at the home of Miss Elvira Barber Thursday evening after which they will attend the theater at Grayling.

Who are the two students who insist on helping the opposing team by making baskets for them?

The boys 4-H Handcraft club which is named the Clever Carpenters Club held a work meeting Monday noon. Several have finished their first projects and started their second.

The members of the Shop class are in the last stages of finishing their book racks. We have some very nice looking ones and some that are not so good. But this is the first project and the poorer ones have more chance for improvement.

Ervin Dunckley will report news for next week's edition.

Crawford Avalanche

The first snowball fight for the remaining winter months will soon be under way. Two teams have been organized and others are expected to be ready soon. These games will be played on Tuesday evenings at the high school gymnasium.

In a short time we are going to organize other activities for those who care to participate. These activities will be held in the Finn hall, on the south side of the river. A 22 rifle club will be one of the attractions held there. Boxing, wrestling, and other games will be held there also.

We would like to have a good turn-out for the 22 rifle club. The group will be made up into teams and scores will be kept.

Frederic has a 22 rifle club organized and we think these two communities could have some very fine shooting contests.

Anyone interested in joining this club see either Russell Robertson or Elmer Fenton.

HARRY HEMMINGSON POST ORGANIZED

On the institution of the Harry

Interesting Events In Grayling 23 Years Ago

INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVALANCHE OF 23 YEARS AGO

Thursday, February 6, 1913

Thos. Cassidy is visiting in Cheboygan this week.

Mrs. C. D. Reynolds entertained a few friends in honor of Mrs. Earle Kidd Sunday afternoon.

Miss Maude Lantz, of Lewis-ton, attended the Junior Hop Friday evening, also the I.O.O.F. ball Tuesday evening.

Miss Marie Foreman entertained her friend, Miss June McCormick, of Lovers Friday. Miss McCormick attended the Junior Hop in the evening.

Miss Lillian Larson, daughter of Robert Larson and Mr. Lloyd Gierke, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Gierke were united in marriage last Thursday evening at the home of the bride's father, where they will reside.

Word has been received here announcing the marriage of Miss Jessie McCormick to Mr. John Knapp to take place on the 20th of this month, in Detroit. They were formerly of this city.

Miss Marguerite Chamberlain left for Cheboygan Friday afternoon and attended the Coronet band dance there.

Victor Peterson who is attending Ferris Institute at Big Rapids, was taken ill while at school and arrived home Friday afternoon. He was taken to Mercy Hospital Sunday where he underwent an operation for appendicitis. Monday noon, he is getting along nicely we are glad to say.

Mrs. Marius Hanson was a charming hostess to a very pretty party given at her home, Thursday afternoon, January 31. There were about 40 ladies present and "doo" was enjoyed until 5 o'clock when a dainty luncheon was served. Mrs. I. W. Hanson received the honors. That the afternoon was thoroughly enjoyed by all was shown by the reluctant way in which the guests said goodnight to their hostess.

Miss Nellie Shanahan of Fred-eric attended the I.O.O.F. ball here Tuesday.

Alvin LaChapelle has returned from Detroit and other cities after an absence of three weeks.

Those smiles on Earl Penn's face are caused by the arrival of a girl baby at their home.

Christ Michelson, of Bay City, has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Peter Larson for a few days.

Mrs. C. A. Ackerman returned from Detroit Thursday, where she has been caring for her mother.

Arthur McIntyre has returned to school and is back assisting in the postoffice after school hours.

Scott Loader is out of the city. He is in the southern part of the state looking after business matters.

Miss Mollie Johnson came down from Wolverine Tuesday afternoon and attended the I.O.O.F. ball in the evening.

Otto Simpson, of Detroit, visited Miss Irene Lepresne Tuesday and Wednesday of this week. From here he went to Kalkaska to visit his parents.

The Hek-ka-dek-a girls entertained their gentlemen friends instead of their regular meeting with a sleighride out to the John Failing farm home, in Beaver Creek, Monday evening. The most important event of the

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Washington Notes And Comments

(By Congressman Roy O. Woodruff)

Here's the bad news!

An advance report I have received from the Department of Commerce, listing imports of agricultural products for the year 1935, reveals very startling information. The increases in imports of those products over the year 1934 as disclosed by this report are shockingly large. Below are listed only a few of these products, but an inspection of the figures will satisfy any unbiased individual that a continuation of the present agricultural policy, and the present policy of reducing the tariff on all products through the reciprocal trade agreements, will bring destruction to the American farmer and the American manufacturer. In addition to this a continuation of these policies will bring about a reduction of the American standard of living to that of the foreign producers who are bringing their products into this country in competition with American products in ever-increasing quantities.

Farmers, examine the following table closely:

Cattle (live)	364,623
Hogs (live)	3,414,317 lbs
Meat products	115,059,124 lbs
Animal oils and fats (edible)	18,895,241 lbs
Dairy products	74,976,209 lbs
Eggs in shell	482,076 doz
Eggs, frozen, dried, etc.	7,032,974 lbs
Barley	4,839,678 bu
Corn	43,242,296 bu
Oats	10,106,903 bu
Rye	9,642,523 bu
Wheat	27,438,870 bu
Buckwheat	696,284 lbs
Soy Beans	107,463,044 lbs
Rice and Rice products	53,461,904 lbs
Barley Malt	320,622,537 lbs
Fodders and Feeds	1,038,411,537 lbs
Feeds	1,038,411,537 lbs
Vegetables and preparations	642,203,926 lbs

Every item listed above is one which competes with the products of the American farm, and which because of heavy receipts from foreign countries affects adversely the price which the American farmer receives for the products raised on his farm.

A particularly outrageous situation exists as regards sugar. The report discloses that the importation of cane sugar in 1935 was 720,493,000 pounds greater than in 1932. People living in the vicinity of Bay City have not forgotten that as a result of the Administration's program concerning the production of sugar in this country, the amount which the American farmer is permitted to produce has been arbitrarily and drastically reduced, notwithstanding the fact that we only produce thirty percent of the sugar we consume.

As a result of this reduction, the Michigan Sugar Company's plant at Beaverton was closed and dismantled, and many American farmers who heretofore enjoyed the privilege of raising sugar beets are either now unable to raise the crop or must necessarily reduce the number of acres planted.

The increased allotment of sugar for American consumption given to the foreign producers would, had it been given to the American farmer instead, have been sufficient to have enabled the operation of a number of additional beet sugar factories in the beet growing areas. It would have been the medium through which, in round figures, \$22,000,000 might have been distributed among the farmers, the workers, the coal miners, and railroad men, and would have been the medium through which additional prosperity could have been brought to our people.

In discussing this matter with Congressman Lemke of North Dakota, he made the statement that coming into this country during the past year there have been agricultural products valued at \$1,200,000,000, all of which could have been produced on American farms. It is his opinion, and in this I agree, that if we would reserve to our farmers the American market for all those products which can be produced in this country, our farm problem would disappear.

There would be no further urging that good agricultural lands be taken out of production. Our farmers would receive a fair price for their products, and the manufacturer, the business man and the laborer, would enjoy an immediate return to normal economic conditions because of the additional buying power which would be given to our great agricultural classes.

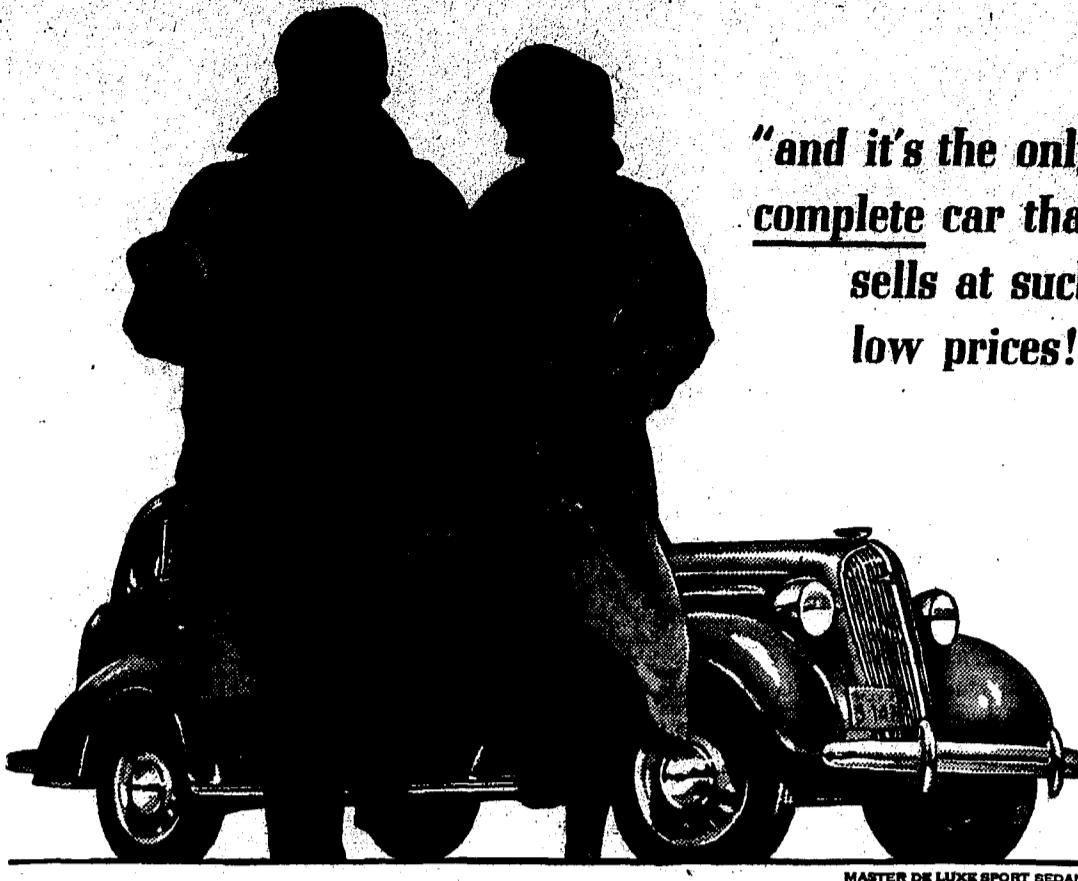
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Chinese, Japanese Ideographs
The Chinese and Japanese ideographs do not represent letters, but they are picture symbols or signs of an object of thought; the graphic representation of a thought.

SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of and under the seal of the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, to me directed and delivered, in favor of Grayling Box Company, against the goods and chattels, lands and tenements of Mrs. A. R. Welch, (Mary E. Welch), I did, on the 21st day of January A. D. 1936 levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of said Mrs. A. R. Welch (Mary E. Welch) in and to the following described real estate, situated in the County of Crawford and State of Michigan, to wit: All that certain piece and parcel of land situated in the Township of Grayling, County of Crawford and State of Michigan, known and described as Lot one of Shaws Park, according to the recorded plat thereof.

All of which I shall expose for sale at public auction, to the highest bidder, as the law directs, at the front door of the Courthouse in the City of Grayling (that being the building in which the Circuit Court for said County of Crawford and State of Michigan, is held), on Saturday the seventh day of March A. D. 1936 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

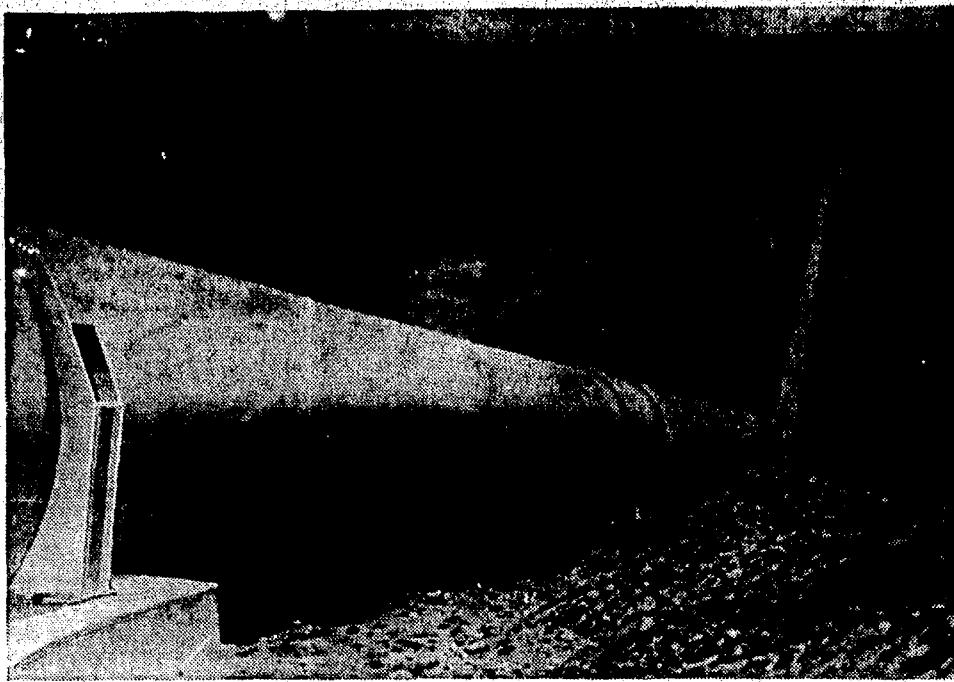
Frank Bennett, Sheriff
Merle Nellist,
Attorney for Plaintiff
Dated January 21, 1936. 1-23-6

New Chevrolet Truck on Economy-Safety Run



Carrying a 10,000-lb. cement block from Los Angeles to New York, a 1½-ton Chevrolet truck—one of the new 1936 models just introduced—demonstrated that auto driving means economy. Speed limits were observed in every community, with 35 m.p.h. the maximum on the open road. The 351.4 miles were completed in two days of 18 and 306.6 gallons of gasoline, at a cost of 61.6 cents per mile, or one-third of a cent per ton mile. The entire run was completed without any mechanical failure, repairs, or even a stretched fender. The illustrations show the two trucks and features of the new 1936 models. Coupe-type cars with solid steel roof, full-floating rear axle, and full-length water jackets, are some of the improvements. In the lower right, Harry Martz, who drove the cross-continent test, is seen beside the 10,000-lb. block. The test was officially observed by the American Automobile Association.

Oregon Has the World's Largest Siphon



THE axiom that water seeks its own level is the principle behind the siphon. The one shown above is the world's largest, yet in principle it is no different from the little glass siphons used in chemistry laboratories. The Malheur river siphon of the Owyhee project in Oregon is built of steel pipe 80 inches in diameter, and is more than four miles long. It carries the main canal of the Owyhee project through Malheur river valley and over a low range of hills beyond, without requiring any pumping.

Easy Payment Plan For Ford Customers

Eight years ago the Universal Credit Company began its history as an important factor in the commercial, financial, and industrial life of the nation—a specialized financial institution created for the exclusive purpose of providing a stabilizing factor in financing the time sales of Ford cars and trucks.

During this period, Universal Credit Company has financed the purchase of new Ford cars and used cars sold by Ford dealers exclusively to the motor-buying public of America in the amount of more than one and a half billion dollars, serving a total of more than 2,600,000 Ford customers. Such, in brief, is the history of one of the nation's greatest financial service corporations.

UCC has been repeatedly responsible for the reduction of finance costs for Ford buyers. The

large volume of business developed has made possible constantly improved plans, providing courtesy, safety, and economy for the Ford purchaser desiring to buy out of income.

UCC again follows with the lowest and best plans it has ever offered.

Under the new UCC Plans, after the usual low down payment, the Ford buyer can purchase his Ford car anywhere in the country on installments of only \$25.00 a month.

The cost of this extension of credit is only 1/2 of 1% per month on the original unpaid balance and insurance. Convenient UCC charts show these finance charges which are computed by multiplying the unpaid balance plus insurance by 1/2% per month (6% for 12 months—which is not simple interest but a multiplier for computation).

The insurance provided in the New UCC Convenient Payment Plans protects the purchaser's car against Fire and Theft, Collision, Flood, Windstorm, Tornado, Cyclone, Hall, Riot, and other elements of physical damage—com-

plete protection against accidental physical damage to the car itself.

Families buy Ford cars today as they have for thirty years because of outstanding value. Outstanding quality at low cost has made the new Ford the choice of millions.

"Ours is more than an exclusive credit institution serving Ford dealers and Ford purchaser," the UCC Saginaw Branch Manager, Mr. Hill, recently stated. "We look upon the Universal Credit Company as an active arm of the Ford sales force, charged with the duty of helping the Ford dealer and the Ford purchaser in any matters where credit is involved and which has such an important bearing on the merchandising of automobiles."

Another important sales function of the Universal Credit Company which Mr. Hill brought out in our interview was the very important matter of goodwill.

"The buyer delights in dealing with an organization which gives him prompt and courteous treatment, that deals with him in absolute fairness, ever maintain-

ing the high standard of its service—a service rendered with the thought constantly in mind of making a repeat customer of the buyer. This he becomes as the result of a natural appreciation for the value in the products and the sincerity of the manufacturer and the seller."

A truly helpful credit service with friendly treatment is the business philosophy behind UCC credit operations. The convenient terms and low cost and safety features offer Ford buyers real economy and safety through a company that serves the Ford market exclusively. UCC Plans are available to Ford purchasers at Geo. Burke's Garage, Grayling, Mich., who is an Authorized Ford Dealer in this community.

Camp News

CAMP HIGGINS LAKE

This organization is still under the scarlet fever quarantine imposed January 21, with several additional cases. Project work is continued, but employees are not permitted away from camp for recreational or visiting purposes. Educational activities have been curtailed to lessen the danger from congregation of groups.

Chief Foreman M. S. Gerred expects to return to land economic work with the Department of Conservation after the 15th of the month with headquarters at Gaylord. This was the work he was doing before the organization of the emergency conservation work camps. It is reported that Andrew K. Braudwood now at Camp AuSable, will be transferred here as chief foreman.

Barracks three is undergoing alterations for a recreation room and a new post exchange of rustic design is being built with cedar. The front portion of this barracks, now used as an auxiliary hospital ward, will normally be used for educational activities.

Rudolph Johnson, an employee from Grand Rapids, has been made company clerk.

Lieut. J. D. Hartley has been assigned to duty at this camp, being transferred here from Camp AuSable. He was here for several months about two years ago, being transferred to Camp Glenview. Lieut. Neison, who was here for a short period after abandonment of Camp Pioneer, has been sent to Freson for duty with a colored organization.

This camp has been assigned a caterpillar "40" tractor, equipment of the abandoned Pioneer organization. Three tractors are now available for next summer's extensive work projects, the others being a McCormick-Deering "T44," and a "Centrac '50" trail builder.

The jack pine seed extraction project now being carried on and sponsored by the U. S. soil erosion service is progressing favorably and without question the seed will be ready for planting next spring.

R. W. Eschmeyer of the fisheries institute of the University of Michigan has praised the work of the crew census crews working out of this camp on lakes Margrethe and Higgins.

CAMP AUSABLE

Ausable was victorious in two basketball games during one afternoon last Saturday. Camps Houghton Lake and Kalkaska were the victims of 1931's nasty cagers. The score in the first game was 21-12 and the second 22-18. Dick May was the high point man for Ausable, for Houghton Lake Sorenson scored the most, and Ellis for Kalkaska.

Employee Nagel, Spink, Benak, Grases and Collins left the company to accept employment and various other reasons.

Logs are being prepared for a novelty front to the Post exchange. It is to be enlarged and renovated.

Headquarters building has a new floor. Work has been started on the walls. They are to be paneled with cedar to the height of four feet and buff colored celotex covering the remainder.

The pump house has been improved with a new metal and celotex lining. This makes it more attractive and fireproof. This work is being supervised by Lieutenant M. Pierson.

Curtains have been hung in the officers mess. It gives the room a more home like atmosphere.

Applications for examination as Junior Assistant Technician are to be handed out to qualified employees Thursday. The men will fill them out and send them to the civil service commission at Washington, D. C.

Stakes were placed Wednesday morning for the foundation of the new educational building. The foundation will be laid the first of next week. The plans for the building call for a log structure 48x24 feet. It will contain one class room, reading room and library, office and shop.

Many Affected by Day Blindness
Persons who are afflicted with day blindness, the inability to see as well in daylight as in darkness, are far more numerous than those who suffer from night blindness, the inability to see after nightfall except under a strong artificial light.—Collier's Weekly.

Albanians Oldest People in Southeastern Europe

The Albanians are an old people, the oldest it is said in southeastern Europe. Their ancestors occupied the country along the eastern shore of the Adriatic, called Illyrium by the Romans, and Epirus by the Greeks, before the beginnings of Rome or Greece; and, although in the succeeding centuries they have at different times been subject to the Macedonians, Romans, Goths, Slavs, Normans, Venetians and finally the Turks, they have on account of their strong nationalistic character been able to maintain themselves practically unmixed with other peoples.

About the most that can be said, notes a writer in the New York Herald Tribune, is that their various overlords have here and there added a few words to their otherwise unique language. Like the Scotch and the Welsh, their mountain homes defied complete subjugation.

While the Albanians are one of the oldest of European peoples, they are also one of the most primitive. Their seclusion arrested their development centuries ago with the result that their mode of living more resembles that of medieval than modern times. The interrelation of society is almost that of feudal Europe, the large landholders exercising great power within their own domain and collectively being the governing force in the country. The principal occupation is stock raising. Agriculture, where it exists at all, is performed in the crudest manner. Nor has any advantage been taken of a climate where many fruits, including mulberries and grapes, could be grown.

Place Names Associated With Our Common Foods

Many place names are mainly known by their association with some article of common use, say Tit-Bits Magazine. Seville and Jaffa go with oranges; Barcelona and Brazil with nuts; the Canary Islands with bananas; Ceylon, China and Assam with tea; a little village, six miles south of Aberdeen, called Flindon and pronounced Flinnan, is known all over the globe by reason of its smoked dried haddocks. Similarly, Yarmouth is associated with bladders, Whitstable with oysters, Canterbury (New Zealand) with lamb, Everton with coffee. Bath with certain kind of brick and stone, as well as with buns. Cement goes with Portland, lace with Nottingham, carpets with Kidderminster and Brussels, although the last-named is probably better known by its sprouts! Turkey has long been associated with rhubarb and Turkish delight as well as with carpets, and Jerusalem is well known to artichokes. Virginia and Egypt exist for thousands chiefly by reason of their

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To Wm. Weis (owner), last grantee in the regular chain of title of such lands or of any interest therein as appearing by the records in the office of the Register of Deeds of said county.

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Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Saturday the 8th day of February, A. D. 1936, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, the undersigned will, at the front door of the courthouse in the City of Grayling, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the county of Crawford is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with seven per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with attorney's fee, to wit:

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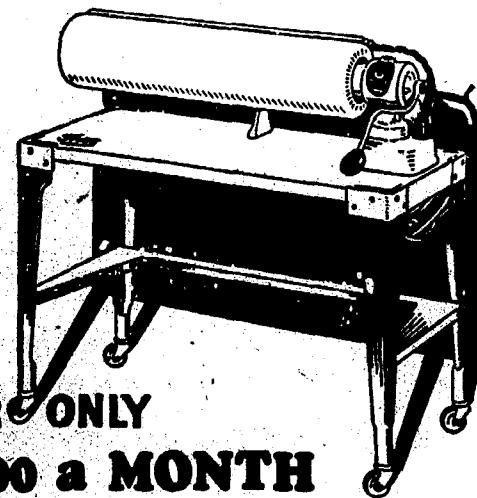
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LOCALS

THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1936

Clare Madson is driving a new Plymouth coach.

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Holger (Dad) Hanson is driving a beautiful new Nash sedan.

Gilbert Vallad has been ill at his home for the past week with a bad cold.

Wilhelm Raee is driving a new Buick sedan purchased from Schoonover's garage.

Scientists have estimated that one female smelt of approximately seven inches in length will produce and carry as many as 25,000 eggs.

Mercy Hospital Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. C. R. Keyport on Thursday afternoon, Feb. 13. Mrs. Clippet will assist and there will be cards and sewing.

Miss Elizabeth Kraus has secured employment in Detroit. She plans to work there only temporarily since she expects to take up a teacher's course in the near future.

Petoskey Winter Sports carnival begins there Friday, and continues ten days. National championship skating events will be held there during the carnival together with the usual carnival.

Mrs. Lorane Sparkes entertained her Contract club Saturday afternoon at luncheon. The guests were served on small tables scattered through the living rooms. Mrs. C. G. Clippet held the winning score.

A Detroit newspaper columnist wants to know if when Senator Long (wife of the late Huey Long) gets into the senate they will call her Queenfish. He should know better—the Kingfish always called his wife "Battle Axe."

Mr. and Mrs. John LaMotte, of Beaver Creek, have moved into town for the remainder of the winter and are sharing the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. David LaMotte. The latter has been quite ill with the flu.

Olson's Shoe Store is open for business; greatly reduced prices on everything.

The attention of the general public is called to the fact that in case it is necessary to call the night watchman, it may be done merely by calling the telephone operator. The operator then blows one short blast on the siren, which notifies the officer that he is wanted.

Studies made of adult rainbow trout indicate that this species are essentially land or large open waters where they can obtain abundant food. After ascending streams to spawn they return to Great Lakes waters. How long the young remain in the streams is not known.

Michigan residents are warned by Secretary of State Atwood not to drive outside of the state without their 1935 license plates as it is possible they might encounter some difficulty with the authorities of the other states. Michigan licenses have been extended to Feb. 28.

Word has been received from Carl Sorenson and Tammy from California who report they are having a wonderful time in the far west. It took the Tammys eight days to make the trip and the only car trouble they experienced was a flat tire, which occurred on a mountainside. They are having very nice weather out there now.

Monday evening will be Guest night for the Woman's Club. An evening of music will be given at McNeeseon Memorial church. Mr. Walter Noa, violinist of Gaylord, as guest artist, will be assisted by the Music committee of which Mrs. C. G. Clippet is chairman. Guests will include Woman's Study Club, Gaylord; Kiwanis clubs of Gaylord and Grayling.

Grayling friends will be pleased to know that the B. Trudeau, of Saginaw, who carried off so many honors in the special skating races is none other than Bert Trudeau, who spent his boyhood in Grayling. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Trudeau, who owned and operated the bakery here years ago. The young man is a whiz on skates and won several honors at the Alpena carnival also.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Saunders have returned from an extensive vacation trip in the south and report an excellent trip. They traveled as far as Chattanooga, Tenn. Mr. Saunders, formerly of Camp Hartwick, was to begin his duties today at Camp Yankee which is located near Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. Saunders made a great many friends while here and their friends regret their leaving our community.

There was a small attendance at the Kiwanis meeting Wednesday. The principal feature of the meeting was an address on "Running a Newspaper" by the local editor. Next Wednesday there will be a Lincoln birthday address by Edgar Flory. The birthday will be observed by an address by Charles Moore. Members should make it a point to be in their respective places on those two occasions.

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6, 1936

Here It Is! After Inventory

CLEARANCE

ONE WEEK ONLY

Sale of Ladies Shoes

Real Bargains
in Ties, Pumps
and Novelty
Styles. All
widths

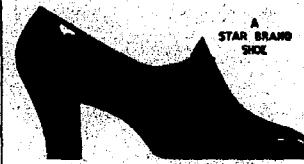
550 pairs go on Sale
at two Special Prices.

\$2.39

Former prices
to \$3.40

\$2.95

Former prices
to \$3.95



60 Pairs

Ladies Slippers

on our Bargain Rack

Special **\$1.49** pair

See our assortment of

New Spring Prints

(80 count) **22c**

1 Lot

Mens O'Coats

to close—Just 11 at this price

\$4.95 each

1 Lot

Ladies Dresses

Silks and Wool

\$1.95

Ladies and Misses Winter

Girls Winter

Coats

now

½ Price

now

½ Price

1 Table

Mens Dress Shoes

Regular \$4.00 to \$8.75 values at **\$2.95**

Mens

Dress Shirts

White or fancy with starchless collars

\$1.19 2 for \$2.25

New Spring Blouses

of Peasant Cloth

\$1.25

Grayling Mercantile Company

The Quality Store

Phone 125

All shoes, rubbers and sox at **½ to ¼ off**, at Olsons.

In our after-inventory sale you will find some rare bargains. Drop in and look them over.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Madill, of Frederic, are happy over the arrival of a son, James Albert, born Sunday, Feb. 3. He is quite a husky fellow, tipping the scales at 10½ pounds.

Fire resulting from an explosion of their gasoline stove caused quite a little damage at the apartment of Capt. G. E. Murphy, over Burke's garage. It so happened that firemen were holding their meeting on the lower floor of the building so that it was not necessary to turn on an alarm. The flames were quickly extinguished but had made so much headway within just a few minutes that the whole building might have been in grave danger had the firemen not been so near at hand.

3000 pairs of Shoes and Rubbers to be sold in a hurry, at **½ to ¼ off**, at Olsons.

Mrs. F. A. Barnett and Adolph Peterson are the local hardware dealers who will attend the 42nd Annual Convention of the Michigan Retail Hardware Convention to open in Detroit Tuesday, February 11th. In connection with the convention there will be one of the country's largest exhibits of hardware, sporting goods, electrical, household, signs, paints and allied items. This exhibit known as the Michigan Merchandise Mart, covering over 12,000 square feet, shows the latest developments in hardware, sporting goods and allied items.

To honor Mrs. Lorane Sparkes, who with her family are to take up their residence in Lansing, her Contract club entertained with a very lovely luncheon at Shoppagons Inn Tuesday afternoon. A winter bouquet arrangement added to the attractiveness of the table. Three tables were filled for contract at the home of Miss Margrethe Bauman following the luncheon. Mrs. Sparkes received the honor guest prize and Mrs. C. G. Clippet the high score prize.

Stock up now on everything in footwear at a great saving, at Olsons.

O. P. Schumann was in Petoskey Friday attending a meeting of the Northern Office Supply dealers.

If you are looking for real bargains, read the advertisement of Cooley's Gift shop on another page of this paper. You will find many bargains in ladies and gents ready-to-wear. Sale begins Saturday and lasts for one week.

All \$5.00 Emma Jettick slippers to go at \$3.35, at Olsons.

GRANGE WILL GIVE VALENTINE PARTY

Crawford County Grange No. 934 will give a box social on Feb. 14 at Temple theatre. There will be pinocchio and pedro with prizes and a Valentine box.

Everyone is welcome. Bring a lunch box, and a Valentine as names will be exchanged. Coffee will be furnished.

It's Winter Sports Time in Grayling

Everyone old and young should have skates, or we have skis that you'll enjoy at the park.

We Sharpen Skates too, 15¢ per pair.

Hanson
Hardware Co.
Phone 51

Fischer Hotel
Dining Room
Try our home
Cooking
Conrad Sorenson
Manager

H. S. 1935-6 Basket Ball Schedule

February 11—Gaylord—Here.

February 14—Roscommon—There.

February 21—West Branch—Here.

Read your home paper
Subscribe for the Avalanche

This Winter

is the time to build in conveniences—

NEW CLOSETS

KITCHEN CUPBOARDS

EXTRA SHELVES

ATTIC FINISHING

NEW FLOORS

BOOKCASES

We will gladly furnish
estimates on any job, large
or small.

Call us up at 61

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Everything in
Groceries

Wrestling Game At Boyne City

Coach Cornell and his Northern Lights journeyed to Boyne City Friday night and brought home the win in the form of another victory. The locals captured the lead in the second quarter after having been held to a tie of 4-4 in the first quarter and the score at the half time was 9-5. Boyne didn't seriously threaten until the final stanza when it managed to pull up to within one point of the Green-clads, making the final score read: Grayling, 18; Boyne City, 11.

The East Jordan game, scheduled for Tuesday night was postponed because of the severe cold weather and the blizzard that prevented them from coming.

Grayling—18.

	FG	FT	TP
Lovely, rf (c)	1	2	4
Smock, lf	2	2	6
Borchers, c	1	2	4
Chalker, rg	2	0	0
Brady, lg	0	0	0
G. Hanson, lg	0	0	0
Dunham, lg	0	0	0
Totals	6	6	18
Boyne City—11.			
	FG	FT	TP
Davis, rf (c)	0	2	2
Kanide, lf	0	1	1
Kujawski, c	2	0	4
Kane, c	0	0	0
Snyder, rg	1	0	2
Woerell, lg	0	0	0
Hausler, lg	1	0	2
Totals	4	3	11
Score by periods:			
Grayling	4	5	1
Boyne City	4	1	0
	8-18		
	6-11		

WINTER SPORTS MEMBERSHIPS AND CONTRIBUTIONS

Following is the list of memberships and contributions received by the membership committee of the Association to date. As others are received they will be added and published each week:

Peter Lovely	\$ 20.00
Shell Gas Station	5.00
Emil Gieging	5.00
City of Grayling	100.00
Grayling Bank	20.00
Drs. Keypert & Clippert	15.00
Tony Green	5.00
O. P. Schumann	5.00
Grayling Dairy	5.00
Schweitzer & Wilson	10.00
Earl Dawson	5.00
Parson & Wakeley	5.00
Edward Gierke	5.00
Grayling Greenhouses	5.00
Shoppenagons Inn	35.00
Carl Sorenson	5.00
Nick Schjotz	5.00
Esborn Olson	10.00
Frank Bennett	5.00
Chas. E. Moore	5.00
Tri-County Tel. Co.	5.00
John L. Martin	2.50
Dell Wheeler	2.50
A. J. Trudeau	2.50
Corwin Auto Sales	20.00
Grayling Laundry	10.00
George Olson	10.00
Alfred Hanson	20.00
Grayling Box Co.	25.00
Kerry & Hanson	25.00
Lon Collier	25.00
John Bruun	10.00
C. J. McNamara	20.00
F. J. Mills	5.00
Arnold Burrows	10.00
Burkes Garage	20.00
Merton Wright	5.00
AuSable Dairy	5.00
Nat. Log Const. Co.	10.00
Mrs. M. Hartley	5.00
Dr. J. F. Cook	10.00
James Bugby	25.00
Grayling Mercantile Co.	20.00
Grayling Hardware	5.00
Chris Olsen	10.00
Eggle Bugby	5.00
Orel Levan	5.00
Jas. McDonnell	5.00
Farnham Matson	5.00
Carl Doroh	5.00
Mich. Public Service Co.	10.00
Moshier's Garage	5.00
Hanson Hardware	25.00
W. H. Cowell	2.50
Merle F. Nellist	5.00
A. P. Tea Co.	25.00
Mrs. B. A. Cooley	5.00
Emil Kraus	5.00
Tony Gross	2.50
Shorts Freight Line	5.00
Geo. Sorenson & Sons	10.00
Tom J. Wells	2.50
John Hill	2.50
Mr. and Mrs. H. Russell	2.50
Esborn Hanson	5.00
Gerald Poor	5.00
Fred Welsh	5.00
Carl Johnson	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schmidt	2.50
C. A. Miller	5.00
Jesse Schoonover	15.00
Frank Serven	2.50
Frank Ahnian	5.00
Albert Lewis	5.00
Crawford Wood Prod. Co.	5.00
Mrs. Joe Smith	2.50
Margrethe Bauman	5.00
George Stanley	5.00
Emil Niederer	5.00
Effie Hunter	2.50
Bon Ton Baking Co.	10.00
Harold McNeven	25.00
Wm. Randolph	5.00

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Mrs. Fauer

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Grayling, Mich.

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HOVER BOY

11th Grade

Eileen Ferguson—4A's.
Yvonne Kraus—2A's, 1B, 1C.
Rose Newell—3A's, 1B.
Dorothy Schweitzer—4A's.
11th Grade

Kermi Charron

12th Grade

Monica Hewitt

12th Grade

Stephan Jorgenson

12th Grade

Vivian Nellist

12th Grade

Howard Neal

12th Grade

Evelyn Skingley

12th Grade

Mary J. Wendt

12th Grade

Keith Bowen

12th Grade

Richard Brady

12th Grade

Virginia Charron

12th Grade

Marie LaMotte

12th Grade

Beatrice Peterson

12th Grade

Jerine Peterson

12th Grade

John Peterson

12th Grade

Jack Sparkes

12th Grade

Jack Wright

12th Grade

9th Grade

Audrey Bradow

2A's, 2B's

Donald Corwin

2A's, 2B's

Benita DeLaMater

3A's, 1B

Phyllis Hewitt

1A, 3B's

John Mathews

4A's

Betty Nellist

1A, 3B's

Kenneth Peterson

2A's, 2B's

Einer Tahvonen

3A's, 1B

Emil Tahvonen

4A's

8th Grade

Jean Brady

1A, 3B's

Ruth Burrows

1A, 3B's

Janice Entsinger

1A, 3B's

Mary J. Joseph

3A's, 1B

Gloria McNeven

1A, 3B's

Junior McNamara

1A, 3B's

Dorothy Miller

4A's

June Morris

1A, 3B's

Virginia Peterson

1A, 3B's

Gwendolyn Wendt

1A, 3B's

7th Grade

Kathryn Charron

1A, 3B's

Betty J. Failing

1A, 3B's

Margaret Flagg

4B's

Jane Martin

2A's, 2B's

Barbara Miller

4B's

Stella Muth

3A's

Patricia Roberts

4A's

Robert Welsh

4B's

Jean Wright

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